

The firste pistle to tessalonicis

to 3ou þ ben aboute me / whom I
seute to 3ou to þis same þig: þ
he knowe what þigis ben abou
te 3ou. & comforte 3ou: hertis
wip ouerhime moost dere & fery
ful bropir: which is of 3ou / whi
che shule make alle þigis þ be
don here: knowu to 3ou / And
tak þloner wip me: greetip
3ou wel & spak þe colyn of Bar
nabas: of who ze han take man
demetis: if he come to 3ou: res
seyue ze hy: and ihc þ is leid mit
whiche ben of circucioni þe al
done ben my helperis in þe kig
dom of god: þ were to me in solace
Epafraas þ is of 3ou þe seruait
of ihu ctt: greetip 3ou wel / eue
bisy for 3ou i þieris: þ ze stonde
par þyt & ful in al þe wille of god
and I bere witnellig to hy: þ he
hay moche trauel for 3ou: and for
he þ ben at laodice: & þ ben at
jerapoly: In þe letche moost
dere & demas: greet 3ou wel
Greete ze wel þe brypen: þ ben
at laodice: & þe woman nymfau:
& þe churche þat is in þe hous
& whane þis pistle is rad amog
3ou: do ze þt be rad i þe churche
of laodicensis: & rede ze þat pist
le þ is of laodicensis: & sepe ze to
archippus: Se þe mynistrat
þ hast taku in þe lord: þ þ fille it
my saluacion: bi þe hond of
poul: be ze mydeful of my bondis
þe grace of þe lord ihu be w 3ou
ame // **Here endip þe pistle to
colocensis: & bigyne þe plog o
þe firste pistle to tessalonicis**

Tessalonicis ben // **lis**
macedones: in ihu ctt: wh
ane þe hadde resseyued þe word

of treupe: þe stode fastly
in þe fery: & also i þe secucioni of
her owne cite seyns / þe ymo
ze þe resseyued not falle a
posthis: ne þe þigis þ weren
leid of falle aposthis: þe se
postle þe seyn: wryte to hem
from athenis bi titius & onesy
mus // **Jerom in his prolog on
þe pistle seyn þis: C. p.**
Doul & silian & thymo
the: to þe churche of tes
salonicis: in god þe
fadr & in þe lord ihu
crist: grace & pees to 3ou: we do
pankigis to god eimore for al
le 3ou: & we make mynde of 3ou
in our þeieris wipoute cecellig
hanyge mynde of þe werk of þe
ure fery & trauel & charite & a
bydig of þe hope of our lord ihu
crist bifore god i our fadr: ze
louyd by þe fere of god: we wri
ge 3ou þe che lyng: for our gospel
was not at 3ou i word onky: but
also in macti & in þe hooky goost &
in moche plente: as ze witen
whiche we were amog 3ou for
3ou: & ze ben maad folowbers of
us & of þe lord: resseyuynge þe
word i moche tribulacion wip
ioye of þe hooky goost: so þat ze
ben maad ensauple to alle men
þ bileue: i macedonie & i acaye
for of 3ou þe word of þe lord is
pupplithid: not onky i macedo
nye & acaye: but 3ou: fery þat
is to god: in eth place is gon for
so þt it is not nede to us for to
speke om þing: for þe stherwe
of 3ou: what maner entre we
hadde to 3ou: & þou ze be comitid
to god fro mactis: to serue